May 19, 2004



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re:

Application of:

Ronald STEVENS, et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 19, 2003 for three (3) months from February 19, 2004 to May 19, 2004.

A check for \$950.00 covering the three (3) month extension fee is enclosed. If it is determined that any additional fees are due, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

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